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MORE LOCAL MATTERS.

Walt Wyant has purchased a new Ford taxi-cab which he is using on the streets of our city.

Mrs. Webb Kellogg left last week for Woodfield, Ohio, where she will spend a few weeks visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. R. R. Morrison and children went up to Long Pine Sunday night for a week's outing at the park. Mr. Morrison joined them Tuesday night.

Cord M. Smith, of Chambers, progressive candidate for state senator from this district, and E. F. Porter, progressive candidate for county clerk, are in the city today.

Nebraska State Journal: In a campaign card issued, Secretary of State Wait quotes some figures to prove that during the civil war of the sixties, 2,859,122 men were enlisted; 67,058 were killed in battle; 43,032 died of wounds, and 249,438 died of disease. In the 1,400 days of the war, 2,500 battles were fought. Discussing the enrollment Mr. Wait says, "Note how it takes the boys: Under nineteen years and over eighteen, 1,151,448; under eighteen years and over seventeen, 844,891; under seventeen years and over sixteen, 231,051; under sixteen years and over fifteen, 104,998; under fifteen years and over fourteen, 1,523; under fourteen years and over thirteen, 302; under thirteen years and over twelve, 224; under twelve years and over eleven, 28; under eleven years and over ten, 25. Total under nineteen years, 2,334,481; over nineteen years, 524,641. Total, 2,859,122."

Ewing Advocate: From later reports received the hail storm Wednesday evening was much more severe and covered a greater territory than was at first thought. Not only was the South Fork valley hit, but a great portion of the Cache Creek valley suffered also. Where the storm raged fiercest, nothing remains in the cornfields but the bare stalks and the trees are stripped of their leaves. The grass was so badly beaten into the ground that yesterday morning the cattle were having difficulty in finding pasture. The uncut meadows will yield no crop at all. The hills after the storm looked as though they had just emerged from a mid-winter snow. It means the loss of thousands of dollars to the farmers southwest of Ewing.

A. E. Pierce, of McClure township, was in the city yesterday, bringing up the returns from his precinct. Mr. Pierce says that the hail storm of last week completely cleaned out his section of the county of all growing crops and even cut the meadows that were unmowed so that they have no feed for their cattle. In his neighborhood the storm completely cleaned out a strip of country eight miles long and four miles wide. The following farmers lost their entire corn crop and their hay meadows: A. E. Pierce, R. P. Whipple, Howard LaRue, Charles Story, Carl Lawrence and Plitt Belart. Mr. Pierce says the hail covered the ground to a depth of four inches and that the stones were as large as lemons. Birds, chickens and rabbits that were in the path of the storm were killed and horses and cattle that were in pastures in the path of the storm were severely injured by the hail. That section of the county had many fine orchards and they were completely ruined. One of the greatest hardships to the people there will be the scarcity of feed for their cattle and many of those in the storm zone are gathering their corn and feeding it to their cattle. It was the worst hail storm that ever visited the county and people living in that section are hopeful that they will never see another.

Dorsey Bank Liquidates.

D. B. and S. S. Welpton, of Omaha, officers of the Bank of Dorsey, were in the city the first of the week and decided to liquidate the affairs of that institution. Under date of August 17th the following worded letter was mailed to all depositors:

Dear Sir: Herewith please find inclosed draft to cover the amount of your deposit with this bank subject to check this date (errors or omissions excepted).

The directors of the bank have decided to liquidate its affairs. Mr. John O'Donnell, Asst. Cashier, has resigned and we have no one immediately available to conduct the bank.

Thanking you for your patronage and confidence bestowed, and regretting the necessity of this action on our part, we remain,

Faithfully yours,
Bank of Dorsey.
We understand that Mr. O'Donnell resigned his position in the bank some two months ago as it is his desire to enter the life insurance field. Jack has made the Dorsey bank one of the successful banks of the county and his many friends wish for him success and prosperity in his new field of labor.

The Case of L. L. Cantelou.

The case of L. L. Cantelou Clarendon, Texas, is similar to that of many others who have used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. He says, "After trying a doctor for several months, and using different kinds of medicine for my wife who had been troubled with severe bowel complaint for several months, I bought a 25c bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. After using the second bottle she was entirely cured." For sale by all dealers. 8-4

Death of Mrs. A. P. Brooks.

Mrs. A. Brooks died at her home in this city Wednesday morning, August 19, 1914, after a short illness, of stomach trouble.

Deceased was born in county Cork, Ireland, on November 2, 1855, and would have been fifty-nine years of age next November. When a young lady she came to America and was united in marriage to Joe McCarthy and then moved to Holt county from the copper country of Michigan in 1878. Mr. and Mrs. McCarthy were the parents of two children, one of whom died in infancy and the other James McCarthy now living in Butte, Mont. Mr. McCarthy died soon after coming to this county and in 1892 she was united in marriage to A. P. Brooks, who died in 1912. To this union were born two children, Miss Lillie and Kittie Brooks, who survive.

Mrs. Brooks has been ailing for the past two years and last fall took a trip back to her former home in Michigan in the hope that a change of climate would be beneficial, but the change not bringing the desired result she returned to this city. She was not considered seriously ill until Saturday when she had a bad attack of indigestion which refused to yield to treatment and she passed peacefully away at 7:30 Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Brooks was a devout lady and her death will be sincerely mourned by her children and a large circle of friends and acquaintances. Life will never be quite the same to those who knew her, while those who were nearest to her will long for her with unutterable longings—long for a mother's council and advice. She was a woman of strong character; patient, loving and self-sacrificing. Well may her children cherish her memory as a precious legacy.

The funeral will be held from the Catholic church in this city next Saturday morning at 9 o'clock.

Death of John Coffey.

Died, at his home in this city last Saturday afternoon at 5:30, John Coffey, aged 76 years.

Deceased was born in County Cork, Ireland, on May 1, 1838. When a young man he came to America and located in Houghton county, Michigan, where he was married on May 16, 1864. In the fall of 1877 he moved to this county and settled on a farm five miles west of this city, where he made his home until eleven years ago, when he retired from active life and moved to this city where he made his home up to the time of his death.

John Coffey was one of the pioneers of this county who suffered all the privations of the early settlers' life. It was the writers good fortune to have known him well, and we only knew him to esteem him more highly as the years passed by. Today we miss his kindly smile and friendly greeting.

He was a man of generous impulses and never forgot the hospitable ways of the pioneer. The stranger, even though a beggar, never failed to find food and shelter if he sought it at his hands and he was at home at the bedside of the sick and delighted in all kinds of neighborly offices. He had borne adversity gravely and enjoyed prosperity quietly. He had filled the various relations of life as son, husband, father, brother, friend, and filled them well. Who can do more?

But he is gone. Another name is stricken from the ever lessening roll of our old settlers, and a woman in the sunset of life, and a lonely home, are left to attest how sadly they will miss him. It must be so; these tender human ties cannot be severed without a pang. Yet in such a death there is really no cause for grief. His life work was done and well done. He had passed his golden wedding day and wearied with life's duties and cares, weary of waiting, he laid down to rest.

"Tired! ah, yes! so tired dear, I shall sleep soundly tonight, With never a dream and never a fear, To wake in the morning light."

He was a man who united sound sense with strong convictions, and was eminently fitted to mould the rude elements of pioneer society into form and consistency, and aid in raising a high standard of citizenship in our young and growing community. How much this community owes him and such as he, it is impossible to estimate, though it would be a great task to trace his influence through some of the more direct channels, to hold him up in these degenerate days in his various character of husband and father, neighbor and friend, to speak of the sons and daughters he has reared to perpetuate his name and emulate his virtues. But it comes not within the scope of this brief article to do so. Suffice it to say, he lived nobly and died peacefully at the advanced age of 76 years. The stern reaper found him, "as a shock of corn, fully ripe for the harvest."

Not for him our tears, rather let us crown his grave with garlands; few of us will live as long or as well, and fewer yet will the Angel of Death greet with such a loving touch. Mr. and Mrs. Coffey were the parents of twelve children, six of whom have preceded their father to

the great beyond. The six children living are: John Coffey, of Park City, Utah; C. J. Coffey, of Spencer; Mrs. Frank Daly, of Jerome, Idaho; Mrs. T. P. McPharlin, of Buffalo, S. D.; D. E. Coffey, of Fairfax, S. D., and Miss Mayme Coffey of this city. Mrs. Daly, C. J. and D. E. were present at the funeral. John is ill of typhoid fever at his home in Utah and his condition is such that he was not notified of his father's death.

The funeral was held from the Catholic church last Tuesday morning and the remains were followed to the cemetery by a large concourse of sorrowing friends and neighbors. Rev. R. A. Heinzman and P. J. Donohoe, of Bonesteel, S. D., and John Crowe, of Fairfax, S. D., were in attendance at the funeral. The condolences of the people of this community is extended to the sorrowing widow and the children of the deceased.

Card of Thanks.

To the kind friends and neighbors who so willingly assisted us during the sickness and death of our beloved husband and father, we wish to express our sincere and heartfelt thanks. May the Lord bless you all and spare you such sorrow is our wish.

Mrs. John Coffey and Family.

The Election.

The primary election passed off very quietly last Tuesday, the only excitement during the day was the contest for the progressive nomination for county attorney between H. J. Boyle and W. K. Hodgkin. This was a very spirited contest and many democrats voted the progressive ticket in order to help Boyle win the nomination, while many republicans voted the progressive ticket to assist Hodgkin. Boyle received a majority of 14 on the progressive ticket in this city and the vote throughout the county is so close that it will take the official canvass to decide who has won the nomination. The unofficial count gives the nomination to Hodgkin by 1 vote.

The contest for the democratic nomination for county clerk between E. W. Wilcox, of Inman, and P. C. Kelly, of O'Neill, was won by Kelly with a majority of about 60.

A good sized scrap was waged in this supervisor district between J. Q. Howard and M. P. Sullivan for the democratic nomination for supervisor. The contest was spirited all the way through, the nomination going to Sullivan with a majority of two votes. Howard won the progressive nomination.

On the state ticket Morehead carried the city on the democratic ticket and has undoubtedly carried the county by a substantial majority. On the republican side Hammond seems to have carried the county, although he is closely pressed by Howell.

The numerous candidates made the count very slow and the exact result will not be known until the canvassing board completes the canvass of the votes, some time tomorrow.

With returns from all counties of the state coming in slowly, owing to the length of the ballots of yesterday's statewide primary, all indications point to the re-nomination of Gov. John H. Morehead on the democratic gubernatorial ticket, by a vote that will equal the combined total of his opponents, Richard L. Metcalfe, late civil governor of the Panama canal zone, and George W. Berge.

R. Beecher Howell, republican national committeeman, is leading in the race for the republican nomination for governor, with J. H. Kemp running a close second.

Governor Morehead and Mr. Howell carried Lancaster county (Lincoln) and Douglas county (Omaha) by safe majorities.

All indications point to the re-nomination of the present congressmen on their respective tickets.

Congressman McGuire, democratic, is gaining strength with each new report in the First district. On the republican ballot, C. F. Reavis and

Matches? Pooh! They Were Too Small to Bother About

The first phosphorus match was made in 1812.

Then, for a hundred years, man forgot about matches. He invented the telegraph, the telephone, the wireless, the turbine engine, the ocean liner, the flying machine. He gridironed the surface of the earth with railroads. But matches? Pooh! They seemed too small to bother about.

And yet, if there is one thing more than another that this country has needed, it is a better match—a match that will strike anywhere and yet be safe—a match that

won't spark or sputter, or break easily—a match that will burn evenly and is non-poisonous.

The Safe Home Match is a real safety match. It strikes anywhere. It does not sputter. It burns evenly. The stick is strong and sturdy. You cannot break it unless you apply very much more force than you are likely to do.

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PUBLIC SALE!

As I am going to move from the county I will offer for sale at public auction at my place 12 miles south of Atkinson, on Holt creek, the following described property, commencing at 12 o'clock sharp on

Wednesday, August 26, 1914.

200 Head of Cattle 200

17 head of Polled White Face cows, 3 to 5 years old; 12 head one and two year old Polled White Face heifers and steers, mixed; 1 high grade Polled Hereford bull; 10 high grade calves, Polled White Faces; 15 high grade Short Horn cows; 15 head high grade spring calves, Short Horn; 5 head of high grade cows, springers. All of these cows are gentle and most of them are broke to milk.

Frank Welton will also sell 100 head of high grade heifers and cows, all native stuff, good quality and in good condition.

15 Head of Horses 15

1 gray mare 10 years old, weight 1,300, 2 gray mares 7 years old, weight 2,200, 1 gray mare 5 years old, weight 1,000. All good brood mares and broke to work. 2 bay mares 6 years old, with colt by their sides, weight 1,000 each, and broke, 1 bay mare 4 years old, weight 1,100, broke, 1 black 3-year-old colt, weight 1,000, 1 black mare 7 years old, weight 900, 1 pony mare 3 years old, weight 850, 2 gray fillies 2 years old, extra good, heavy bone, 1 gray filly 1 year old.

Farm Machinery, Etc.

1 McCormick mower as good as new, 2 Deering mowers, rake, stacker, 14-inch stirring plow, riding lister, new, one horse drill, new, breaking plow, harrow, 2 wide tire wagons, hay rack, 4 sets of harness, saddle, forks and shovels, new corn sheller, good Sharpless No. 4 separator, range, good organ, 5 dozen chickens, 3 shoats. 75 to 100 tons of hay, oil stove and all of my household goods and other articles too numerous to mention.

Plenty of Free Lunch Served at 11 o'clock.

TERMS:—Twelve months time will be given on all sums over \$10.00 with approved security and 10 per cent interest; sums of \$10 and under cash.

A. HOLMES, Owner.

COLS. MISKIMINS & JARVIS, Auctioneers.

FRED H. SWINGLEY, Clerk.

Mathew Gearing are on even terms in the First district. Congressman Barton, republican, is renominated in the Fifth district and will have as his democratic opponent Former Gov. A. C. Shallenberger. Congressman Kin-kaid, republican nominee in the Sixth district, will have a democratic opponent in F. J. Taylor.

Returns on state officers indicate the nomination of Manoh B. Reese and Conrad Hollenbeck as the two non-partisan candidates for chief justice of the supreme court.

The late closing of the polls—at 9 p. m.—made the returns exceedingly late and the closeness of the republican contest made any estimate hazardous. On the democratic side 30 precincts outside of Douglas county gave Morehead 990, Metcalfe 332 and Berge 305. This includes several Lincoln city precincts and scattered

returns from every congressional district.

Eighteen precincts outside of Douglas county gave Howell 471, Hammond 334, Kemp 409. This included two precincts of Kemp's home town, Fullerton, where Hammond and Howell received scarcely a vote. Howell's majority in Douglas county apparently was increased by a substantial plurality in Lancaster.

Early returns show Howell and Morehead running more than two to one ahead in the gubernatorial race in Douglas county. Twenty-six precincts, six of them outside Omaha gave Howell a lead of 630 over Kemp, who was second. There are 105 precincts in the county, indicating that Howell would carry the county by over 2,500. Morehead will apparently carry it by about 2,000.

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MR. DEPOSITOR:

We invite you to Deposit your funds in this bank for the reason that all depositors are protected by the Depositors' Guarantee Fund of the State of Nebraska.

That the Deposits are amply protected in State Banks was exemplified in the failure of the State Savings Bank of Superior, Nebraska, a few months ago. Shortly after the bank closed the depositors were paid in full, together with interest up to the time the bank suspended payment.

At the same time the First National Bank of Superior failed and up to this time the depositors have not received a cent, and prospects of ever receiving a substantial portion of their deposits are not very bright.

The harvest of the farmers and stockmen is now at hand and they will soon be disposing of their products and will want to deposit their surplus funds.

Kindly keep this bank in mind, as this is the only bank in O'Neill operating under the Guarantee Law of the State of Nebraska.

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